

LOCAL NEWS.

LECTURE AT THE SMITHSONIAN.—Rev. E. Yates Reese delivered a very interesting lecture at the Smithsonian Institution last night, on the subject, "What's the use of Poets?" to quite a large audience, considering the unpropitious state of the weather.

He commenced by asking the oft-repeated question, "What's the use?" In this utilitarian age, this was a test by which the merits of everything were judged. The common answer that would be given to this question as to Poets would be, that they were a nifty pamper, sentimental, useless, cracked-brained, set of chaps. The school girl's idea, just from boarding school, was that they were something above man—a kind of being a little below angels. The true idea was, that they were something between these two ideas. The poet was the "consecrated interpreter of the visible beautiful." Notwithstanding the beautiful was all around us there are many who would never perceive it without having attention drawn to it, and the beauties explained. The appreciation of the beautiful needed cultivation; but the poet, in addition to being an interpreter of the visible beautiful, was the unfold of all hidden and spiritual beauty—the true educator of the imagination.

The lecturer then enforced, in a very happy manner, the necessity and profit of cultivating the imagination. It was owing to the poetic imagination of the great Genocoe, that he and that audience had the privilege of assembling in that splendid hall. It was to the imaginations of original inventors that the world was indebted for its leading great inventions. The poet was a prophet, and, with the far-seeing eye of genius, looked into the future, and saw the dim outlines of these mighty discoveries; and the mechanic, or the purely practical man, seized upon the soul thought of the poet, and giving it a body, claims and obtains the glory.

He happily illustrated the power of poetry as the education of the youthful mind, by finely reciting Southey's *Battle of Blenheim*. He said that our children, by witnessing the pleasing pomp and circumstance of war, the splendid costumes of the citizen soldiery, the inspiring strains of martial music, would be led to look upon war with an admiring and favorable eye, and be too willing to indulge their combative propensities.

As the most effective mode of counteracting this wrong impression, let a father read to his child by the family hearth, "The battle of Blenheim," the mild satire in which would be readily instilled his mind with a horror of war than any other means.

The lecturer quoted from Edward Everett a sentence expressing his views on the importance of cultivating the imagination, and passed a glowing tribute to the character and genius of that gentleman, which was received with vociferous applause by the audience.

The lecture abounded with beautiful thoughts and happy illustrations, and we only regret that want of space precludes our giving more than this brief outline of a few of the leading ideas.

RELIGIOUS.—To-morrow being Thanksgiving Day, service will be held in nearly all the Protestant churches. St. Matthew's (Catholic) church will also be open for service on that day.

At the New York Avenue church, (Rev. P. D. Gurley, pastor), there will be three services during the day—eleven o'clock, A. M., and three and a half and seven, P. M.

There will be service at the Sixth Presbyterian and Grace churches (Island) at eleven o'clock.

At St. Aloysius church, a sermon, suitable to the occasion, will be delivered by Rev. Father Maguire.

At the Assembly church, corner of Fifth and I streets, Rev. Varnum B. Collins will deliver a lecture, to-night, on "Palestine," and will preach to-morrow morning at eleven o'clock.

The Four-and-a-half Street Presbyterian church will probably be dedicated, one week from next Sunday.

STEALING OF A COAT.—John Flynn was arrested by Officer Huggely for stealing a coat, on last evening, from the store of Ebborg & Lanchester. He endeavored to sell to Officer Huggely, and was immediately taken in custody by him. He was taken before Justice Donn, and by him committed to jail, in default of \$300 security, for the Criminal Court.

ROBBERY.—The stand of Thomas Walker, butter merchant, Centre Market, was entered on Monday night, and fifty pounds of butter, which had been bought for his customers, was stolen. The oily rascals have not, as yet, been arrested.

ANOTHER.—The residence of J. W. Martin, corner of F and Eleventh streets, was entered on Sunday night. The lower part of the house was turned topsy-turvy, and many articles were stolen from the kitchen. No arrest.

Hon. G. W. Palmer and family, of Mass., are at Willards'.
W. W. McCrery, U. S. Army, is at the Kirkwood House.

Hon. J. B. Clark, Mo.; B. McClure, S. C.; R. H. Metcalf, Oregon; C. Scherer, and M. T. Fapier, France, are at Browns'.

Hon. David Kilgore, of Indiana, is in the city.

Markriter, 486 Seventh street, promises entire satisfaction to all wanting upholstery and paper-hanging done, and Markriter, we know, always keeps his promises.

"How can Evans afford to give away all those fine presents?" is the question that we are constantly hearing asked. We don't exactly know how he does it, but we only know that he does do it.

Browning & Keating, No. 353 Pennsylvania avenue, advertise a great variety of groceries, which they have just received, and which they intend selling out very low. Give them a call.

THE WEATHER REPORT OF YESTERDAY, received by telegraph at the Smithsonian Institution, indicates that the rain extends generally through the country, especially in the Atlantic States.

Those persons about purchasing furniture will find it to their advantage to call at Brown's establishment, No. 360 Seventh street, who keeps, at all times, a large and well-selected supply, and sells at very low rates.

GEORGETOWN ITEMS.
ROBBERY.—The residence of Mr. W. S. Nichols, on the heights of Georgetown, was entered last evening through a back door, about nine o'clock. A bureau drawer in a upper chamber was pried open, and ninety dollars in money taken therefrom—of which thirty-five dollars was in gold, two twenty-dollar Virginia notes, and fifteen dollars in notes on other banks. A member of the family met the scoundrel coming down stairs, and immediately gave the alarm, but he made his escape. It is not known whether he was a white or colored man.

GARROTTED.—On Monday evening last, a colored man belonging to one of the Georgetown packets was waylaid on Water street by three men, whom he failed to recognize, and robbed of a watch and chain and two dollars in money.

MILITARY PARADE.—The Young Guards, composed of youths between the ages of twelve and eighteen, under the command of Captain Rodier, paraded last evening, and presented a very soldierly appearance. The performance of their various military evolutions would have done credit to some of our older military organizations.

ARRIVAL OF THE MONTICELLO.—The steam ship Monticello, from New York, arrived at Georgetown yesterday. It brought a very large freight for Washington and Georgetown—the largest it has yet brought. The list of consignees amount to about 370 in number. The merchants in Washington complain on account of landing their goods at Georgetown instead of at the Western wharves, as has been customary.

REVIEW.
The *Kangaroo Hunters*; or, *Adventures in the Bush*. By Anne Brannan, author of the "Cassidarys." "The Young Explorers," &c. Boston: Crosby, Nichols, Lee, & Co. 1860. For sale by French & Richstein, Washington, D. C.

A very interesting and instructive book of travel and adventure, adapted particularly to young people. Although imaginary in its character, its aim is to create a spirit of inquiry, to cultivate the taste, and to lead the young mind to contemplate and study the marvellous works of creation.

Life and Religion of the Hindus, with a sketch of My Life and Experience. By J. Chunder Gangooly, (Baptist Missionary). Edited by Rev. George E. Ellis, D. D. Boston: Crosby, Nichols, Lee, & Co. 1860. For sale as above.

We have here an opportunity of learning the manners, customs, and religion of the Hindus, from one of their own number. The object of the book is to disseminate correct information respecting that people, and to awaken a deeper interest among Christians for their final conversion to Christianity.

Arrivals at the Hotels.
Clay's Hotel.—G. T. Simpson, Ala.; S. Gass, Boston; J. M. Allen, O.; J. M. McCormick, D. C.; G. Green, D. C.; W. N. Taylor, Phil.; A. Kermann, Switzerland; G. L. Sandford and son, Mo.; R. P. Purdy and lady, Milwaukee; W. L. Purdy and son, Milwaukee; O. M. Doolittle, Ga.; G. W. Davis, Ga.; S. M. Pennington and family, S. C.; J. L. Harland, Ala.; H. Tomlinson; Frank Harris, Md.; H. M. Peters, Md.; S. Downey; Wm. O. Pennington and lady, N. C.; S. L. Pennington, N. C.; Mr. L. Sebastian and wife, N. C.

Kirkwood House.—W. W. McCrery, U. S. A.; W. H. Strawbridge, Balt.; J. D. Night, Cumberland, Md.; W. H. Boswell, Md.; S. R. Fields, N. Y.; J. D. Armstrong, Frostburg, Md.; N. Van Beil, Phil.

Willard's Hotel.—R. T. Fay, Mass.; J. M. Ball and wife, N. Y.; G. Northrup, Phil.; B. Halstead and wife, N. Y.; Master Halstead, N. Y.; R. W. Cooley, Ky.; Hon. G. W. Palmer and family, Mass.; J. S. Thrasher, N. Y.

National Hotel.—J. Gibson, Phila.; Geo. G. Knowles, Jr., Balt.; W. M. Owsen, Balt.; F. Danies, D. C.; Mrs. S. R. Wilson, Md.; B. Cluff, N. Y.; J. H. Dove, Md.; G. Demuth, Balt.; W. G. Rhodes, N. J.; W. T. Murdoch, Balt.; P. H. Tyson, Balt.; C. Gilmer, Balt.; P. S. McLaughlin, Balt.; J. R. Hagg, N. Y.; J. A. Medley, Md.; S. Woodruff, Poland; J. F. Thomas, Va.; G. Plunkett, Del.

Brown's Hotel.—R. R. Metcalf, Oregon; John Ford, Md.; E. T. Brown, Md.; Thos. Brown, Md.; A. L. Hawkins and lady, Troy, N. Y.; Miss Phillips, Troy, N. Y.; C. Scherer, Paris; M. T. Fapier, France; Hon. J. B. Clark, Mo.; B. McClure, S. C.; M. J. Kelly, Balt.; P. H. Henderson, Ky.; W. C. Kibbe, Cal.

VIRGINIA BANK NOTES.—The presidents of the several banks at Richmond, Virginia, held a meeting on Monday, to consider the report of the committee of directors, and the *Enquirer* gives the following as the result of their action:

"The presidents decided to receive and pay out the notes of all the solvent banks in the State except the Bank of Winchester, the Bank of the Old Dominion at Pearisburg, the Bank of Philadelphia, the Bank of Fairmont, the Bank of Berkeley, the banks of Wheeling and their branches, and the Bank of the Valley and branches, not including the bank at Staunton and the bank at Christiansburg."

CALIFORNIA'S BRIG.—The *Charleston News* of the 23d says of the brig James Gray: "This fine vessel, under the command of her glorious little captain, departed yesterday for Liverpool. It will be remembered that this craft is the property of Cushing & Brothers, and was the first vessel to raise the Palmetto flag, as she did amid a salute of cannon, and

the cheers of an immense concourse of persons. The ladies of the city are going to present the Hon. Caleb Cushing with a neat likeness of the James Gray in silver, which we hope will be finished by the return of Capt. Plummer; and while we speak of this, we would suggest the putting of subscription lists in stores in King street, and other places where ladies 'most do congregate.'"

Miscellaneous Items.
Henry Wikoff ("the Chevalier") returned from Europe in the steamer Africa last week.

The thirtieth anniversary of the struggle for the independence of Poland, (1830,) will be celebrated on Saturday evening, December 1, at the Cooper Institute, New York.

Governor Banks, of Massachusetts, is in New York city, and paid a visit to Mayor Wood on Monday.

It is said that the tax upon the people of South Carolina, to sustain her as an independent Power, would depopulate the State in two years.

Mr. Edmund Ruffin, of Virginia, arrived at Richmond on Monday, from South Carolina. He had failed in his efforts to hitch the two States together. Mr. Ruffin boldly avows that he was for disunion, no matter who had been elected.

It is reported that Judge Taney maintains that there is no such remedy for grievances under the Constitution, as the right of secession. Secession, the Judge says, is another name for rebellion.

The number of deaths in New York city last week was three hundred and sixty-nine, a decrease of thirty as compared with the corresponding week in 1859.

The steamship Columbia arrived at New York on Monday, bringing forty-seven steerage passengers, sent back by the authorities of Charleston.

The official returns of the Presidential vote in New York, excepting Orange and Sullivan counties, which are unofficially given, show 362,646 votes for Lincoln, and 312,136 for fusion. The majority for Lincoln in the State is 50,136.

The Palmetto flag was hoisted on Monday at Baltimore by an association calling themselves the "Southern Volunteers." The demonstration was not very favorably received. The captain of the barque Isabel also displayed the Palmetto flag, when all the vessels in the vicinity ran up the stars and stripes.

One of the great features of the proposed new Southern Confederacy, as set forth by the South Carolina authorities on the subject, is the establishment of absolute free trade with all the world. No custom-houses are to levy taxes on those products of other nations which are required by the people of the new Confederacy. Negro slaves from Africa are to be imported free of duty, as well as other merchandise.

The committee for relief of the destitute and suffering in Syria acknowledge the receipt of \$21,685.05.

In pursuance of the order of condemnation and sale, the slave Erie will be sold on Tuesday, at Brooklyn.

The Hon. Fernando Wood, in a proclamation seconding the motion of Gov. Morgan for a day of annual Thanksgiving, volunteers the very gratuitous and rather impertinent remark, that "in my judgment, the country, either in its political, commercial, or financial aspect, presents no features for which we should be thankful."

In New York, according to the Superintendent's report, there is only one patrolman to guard a beat of 1,566-1000 miles. In New York, with a population of a million, the patrol force numbers only 1,052, men, whilst in London, with two millions of population, the patrol force numbers nearly 6,000, and this strictly within the city limits.

The boat which conveyed Senator Douglas up the Mississippi river, stopped a short time at Natchez. The distinguished gentleman was received with the firing of cannon as the boat rounded to at the landing, and, responsive to a call, he addressed the large crowd assembled from the boiler-deck gun of the boat. The speech occupied some ten minutes in its delivery, was Union in its sentiment, and elicited great cheering from his friends.

From thirty to forty children, rescued from the streets or from vicious parents, were to take their departure for the West, from New York, yesterday.

MARRIED.
On Thursday, November 22d, by Rev. Dr. Butler, Charles E. Gregory, of Jersey City, to Alice W., daughter of the late John W. Maury.

At Darkeville, Berkeley county, Va., on Thursday, November 22d, by the Rev. Mr. Proctor, Thomas G. Foster, of Washington, to Miss Mary C. Henderson, of the former place.

On Thursday, November 1, at Fredericksburg, Virginia, by Rev. B. P. Warwick, Mr. J. Wesley Cox to Miss Mary E. Gouldman, all of that city.

[St. Louis (Mo.) papers please copy.]

BOARDING.
A CONGRESSIONAL MESS of four or five can be accommodated at Mrs. GILBERT'S, No. 548 Pennsylvania avenue, between First and Second streets, Washington, D. C. nov 28—4f

REPUBLICAN ASSOCIATION.
There will be no meeting of the Republican Association, at the "Wigwam," to-morrow (Thursday) evening.

By order of the Executive Committee.

GEORGETOWN ADVERTISEMENTS.
Mr. H. O. Reaver is our authorized agent for Georgetown. Subscriptions and advertisements for this paper can be left at Barnard's Drug Store, corner of Bridge and High streets.

BOOT AND SHOE STORE.
No. 108 Bridge street, Georgetown, D. C. The subscriber has constantly on hand a large supply of BOOTS and SHOES, which will be sold cheap. Persons would do well to give him a call before purchasing elsewhere. nov 26 GEORGE GRAY.

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We offer this day large additions to our large stock of Gentlemen's Under Garments!!! During the past week, we have made large additions to our stock, and buying them for CASH!!!

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LATEST NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.
THREE DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.
Hatlas, Nov. 27.—The steamship *Arabia*, from Liverpool on the 17th, arrived here today. The City of Washington and Prince Albert had arrived.

The Prince of Wales had arrived safely in England.

WEEKLY COMMERCIAL REPORT.
Liverpool, Saturday morning.—Cotton—sales of the week, 44,000 bales, including 12,000 to speculators and 3,000 to exporters. The market opened firm, but closed flat, in consequence of the advance in the bank rates. Fair qualities were slightly lower; Middlings had declined 1/4, and lower grades had declined 1/2 a 1/4 on the week. Business was almost entirely suspended. Stock in port, 510,000 bales, including 448,000 of American.

Breadstuffs.—Flour dull, at 28 s 3/4; wheat dull, and 1 a 2d. lower; corn firm and unchanged.

Provisions.—Beef dull. Pork quiet. Bacon quiet. No American in the market. Lard firm. None in the market.

General Produce.—Sugar dull. Coffee quiet. Rice quiet. Rosin dull at 5s. 5d. on the spot, and 5s. 2d. to arrive. Turpentine at 34s.

London Market.—Breadstuffs quiet. Sugar quiet. Coffee quiet and slightly lower. Rice steady with a large business early in the week. Tea partially lower.

Financial.—On the 15th, the Bank advanced its rates 1 per cent. Bullion had decreased £582,000. Consols 93 3/4 (29 1/2).